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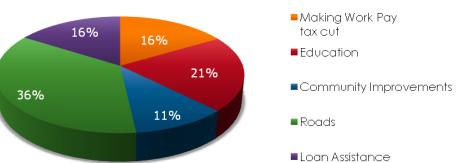
Valley County

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TAX CUTS

684,000 Nebraskans are benefitting from the Making Work Pay tax cut, putting \$9 million per week into Nebraskans' pockets, or \$346 million last year¹. The Making Work Pay tax cut put over \$791,000 back into the economy of Valley County in 2009².

Division of Funding in Valley County



EDUCATION =

Valley County schools received over \$1,008,000 from the Recovery Act preventing the school districts from making additional cuts to their budgets³:

Arcadia Public Schools	\$209,000	
Ord Public Schools	\$536,000	
Educational Service Unit #10*	\$263,000	

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENTS –

Over \$515,000 in community improvement projects have been funded through the Recovery Act in Valley County, including4:



Housing

 \$199,000 - Ord Housing Authority renovations to housing buildings

Infrastructure

- \$285,000 Village of North Loup Drinking water infrastructure
- \$31,000 Housing Authority of North Loup - Electrical wiring installation

LOAN ASSISTANCE

Over \$768,000 in loans were awarded to individuals in Valley County, including5:

- O \$342,000 Agricultural Credit Insurance Direct Operating Loans & Loan Subsidies
- O \$426,000 Rural Housing Insurance Guaranteed Loans



FIRST TIME HOMEBUYER CREDIT

More than 22,000 Nebraskans benefited from the First Time Homebuyer tax credit, returning more than \$155.8 million to the Nebraska economy from 2008 to 2010⁶.

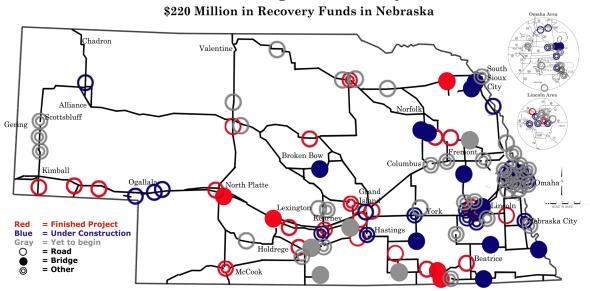
ROADS =



Bridges

O \$1,717,000 - Highway 70 in Middle Loup and Arcadia⁷

Road Map to Recovery



Tax Cuts \$ 791,000 Education \$ 1,008,,000 Loan Assistance \$ 768,000 Community \$515,000 Improvement Roads \$1,717,000 Total \$4,799,000

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